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HOUSE BILL 441

**47TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2005**

INTRODUCED BY

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AN ACT

RELATING TO CRIMES; PROHIBITING CRIMINAL DAMAGE TO COMMUNITY  
AND OTHER CO-OWNED PROPERTY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. Section 30-15-1 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1963,  
Chapter 303, Section 15-1) is amended to read:

"30-15-1. CRIMINAL DAMAGE TO PROPERTY.--

A. Criminal damage to property consists of  
intentionally damaging any real or personal property of another  
without the consent of [~~the owner~~] all owners of the property.

B. Whoever commits criminal damage to property is  
guilty of a petty misdemeanor, except that when the damage to  
the property amounts to more than one thousand dollars  
(\$1,000), [~~he~~] the person is guilty of a fourth degree felony.

C. As used in this section, "property of another"

underscoring material = new  
~~[bracketed material] = delete~~

1 includes property in which a person other than the defendant  
2 has an interest, regardless of whether the defendant also has  
3 an interest in the same property."

4 Section 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.--The effective date of the  
5 provisions of this act is July 1, 2005.

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